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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
HEALTH POLICY

Wednesday, February 14, 2018 9:00 a.m. Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Health Policy was called to order by Chairman Vaupel.

Members present: Reps. Vaupel, Tedder, Graves, Garcia, Sheppard, Calley, Farrington, Hauck, Hornberger, Kahle, Noble, Brinks, Garrett, Neeley, Ellison, Hammoud, and Hertel.

Members absent/excused: None.

Representative Tedder moved to adopt the minutes of January 31, 2018. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chairman Vaupel laid the following bill before the committee:

HB 5439 (Whiteford) Mental health; facilities; psychiatric bed registry; create.

Representative Whiteford explained the substitute (H-1) to HB 5439. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Ben Bodkin, representing the Oakland Community Health Network.

Beth Nagel and Phil Kurdunowicz, both representing the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.

Representative Calley moved to adopt the substitute (H-1) to HB 5439. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Vaupel, Tedder, Graves, Garcia, Sheppard, Calley, Farrington, Hauck, Hornberger, Kahle, Noble, Brinks, Garrett, Neeley, Ellison, Hammoud, Hertel.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Calley moved to report out HB 5439 with recommendation as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Vaupel, Tedder, Graves, Garcia, Sheppard, Calley, Farrington, Hauck, Hornberger, Kahle, Noble, Brinks, Garrett, Neeley, Ellison, Hammoud, Hertel.

Nays: None.
Pass: None.

Chairman Vaupel laid the following bill before the committee:

HB 5524 (Santana)	Education; teachers; mental health training; include in requirement for teacher continuing education.
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Representative Santana testified in support of the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Chairman Vaupel laid the following bills before the committee:

HB 5460 (Vaupel)	Health facilities; emergency medical services; certain drug overdose training for medical first responders and paramedics; require.
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HB 5461 (Green)	Law enforcement; other; drug overdose training corresponding to training program for medical first responders and paramedics; require for peace officers.
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Chairman Vaupel turned the gavel over to Vice-Chairman Tedder, the time being 9:23 a.m.

Chairman Vaupel and Representative Green testified together in support of the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Chairman Vaupel returned to the gavel, the time being 9:47 a.m.

Kolby Miller, representing the Michigan Association of Ambulance Services, testified with no position on the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Mark Docherty, representing the Michigan Professional Fire Fighters Union, submitted a card in opposition to the bills, but did not wish to speak.

Blaine Koops, representing the Michigan Sheriffs' Association, submitted a card indicating concern as written for HB 5461, but not wishing to speak.

There being no further business before the committee, Chairman Vaupel adjourned the meeting, the time being 9:55 a.m.

Representative Hank Vaupel, Chair_____

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